

Clarksburg, Wed. April 5

Parsons-Souders

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Agency for the  
New Ideal Patterns.

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Store Closes 5:30 p. m.

# Every Woman in Clarksburg Is Interested in New Clothes--Now

## Stout Clothes For Stout Women--at Parsons-Souders Store

### A Special Demonstration By Lady Duff

**Advices Stout Women on Correct Apparel Friday and Saturday, April 7 and 8**

#### Second Floor, Take Elevator

We have arranged with Lady Duff to be present in our ready-to-wear store Friday and Saturday of this week.

Lady Duff is renowned as a style expert on all matters pertaining to the dress of women of large proportion and she will be pleased to confer with our patrons, regarding styles suitable for their individual needs. A special demonstration and sale of Suits, Dresses, Waists and all manner of

wearing apparel pertaining to the large sizes.

ParsonsSouders have at this time made special preparations in all lines to take care of the needs demanded by such ladies during this demonstration.

Many favorite models made up in the larger sizes will be shown in Suits, Dresses and Coats.

Demonstration Friday and Saturday.

**Every Day New and Beautiful Suits are Coming to Us and Women are Just As Eager to Get Them As We Are; They are so Attractive**

### The Suits

The dress suits are instantly interesting with their many new touches; little short jackets, with their ripply lines, new belts, narrow widths, and pockets in unexpected places. The jacket linings are so spring-like, flowered crepes, or novelty silks.

Colors, blue, new Green, Tan, Grey and novelty checks and Black and White. Price range \$25.00, \$35.00 to \$50. Exclusive models in our French room.

### The Skirts

The skirts are made in short, full widths in novelty materials, such as large black and white checks, patch pockets and strap bands and large buttons.

### The Coats

The Coats are loose fitting models, made in Wool Jersey, silk Jerseys and novelty materials.

Colors Rose, Green, Blue, Copenhagen and gold.

### The Waists

The waists are daintily artistically designed in light airy materials of Georgette crepe, crepe de chine and fancy silk laces and nets—a wonderful assortment is here.



### Exclusive Millinery

#### Dress Hats

#### Street Hats or Sport Hats

### Dress Up Hats

Lace Brim and Fancy Crowns; beautiful Ribbon and Floral trimmings. All colors and black.

### Street Hats

Such as the very large and attractive sailors, in colors and black with white trimmings. Many beautiful tailored hats for street wear.

### Sport Hats

The Sport Hats are moderately priced and some are very unique in their make-ups, some are the plain attractive shapes in colors, and others are slightly trimmed in ribbon or buckles.

**Here Is Something Good For Boys Or Girls**

### Outdoor Exercise Makes Them Healthy

Saturday Morning, April 8 in our basement.

75 pair Roller Skates. Sale price .....

**39c**

Worth 75c.

75 Pair Roller Skates, worth \$1.00. Sale price

**49c**

72 Air Rifles, worth \$1.00. On Sale

**39c**

These skates are all first class new and up-to-date, adjustable models, having metal wheels for skating on pavement or floor. All sizes included in the sale. Sale in basement Saturday morning, April 8.



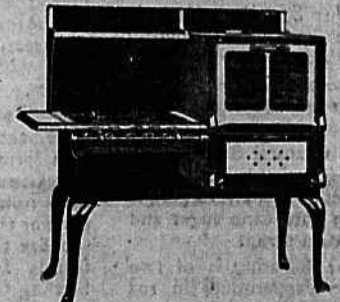
**Due to Popular Request We Are Going to Conduct Another Demonstration**

If you are interested in better cooking of better food at a much lower cost than is possible under old style kitchen methods, you are invited to this demonstration of the

### Eco-Thermal Range

In our Basement Store beginning Wednesday, April 5 at 2 o'clock. Continues Thursday and Friday afternoons.

(Cooks with Gas Turned off.)



You save 50 per cent of your gas bills and 25 per cent of your food bills and half the time and labor of cooking.

On Main St., Between "2nd and 3rd"



"Lots of women have asked me what the Nemo 'Ego-Shape' Corsets are."

"Ego-Shape" simply means 'your shape.' The manufacturers of Nemo Corsets make these models in special individual shapes so they will fit individual figures without alteration.

Stout women have bought these Nemo Self-Reducing Corsets for years. They are now revised in latest fashion-lines, but all retain their famous hygienic features; guaranteed to fit without alteration.

"A favorite model is No. 319. This suits the average stout woman, and is a shapely, durable corset at a small price—\$3.00."

## New Attractive Ribbons That Are Very Special

**On Sale Saturday, April 8, at 39c a yd.**

5 1-2 to 7 Inches Wide. Values to 65c a Yard.

We were very fortunate in securing such a splendid lot of new ribbons to sell for this price. All silk ribbons, 5 1-2 to 7 inch widths in beautiful colorings in floral patterns, Persian patterns and stripes, moire ribbons in blue, pink and fancy with satin self-colored stripes. Scotch plaids in green, red and blue. Black and white checks in large and small effects. White grounds with fancy colored stripes and broken plaids. These ribbons are shown in our window and will be on sale Saturday April 8th.

## New Spring Bonnets For the Little Girls

**ALL THE NEW SHAPES**

Dozens of bewitching new shapes in both light and dark straws. Airier than ever, at least so they seem; and artfully combined with silk, shirred and puckered and rosetted in all sorts of pretty ways.

Many suggest the poke shape, white, pink, blue, tan, brown and yellow are the colors of these just opened and there is wide variety for choosing.

## THE PARSONS-SOUDERS COMPANY

### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

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#### Bible Class Social.

Bible class No. 7 of the Central Christian church will give a social at 7:30 o'clock Thursday evening in the parlors of the church. John D. McReynolds has taught this class for ten years. The young men's class, taught by the Rev. P. M. Baber, and the ladies' class taught by Mrs. Charles Fowler, are cordially invited. The ladies will serve refreshments and a fine time is anticipated by the committee in charge of the arrangements. The following program will be given:

Overture—Professor Moller's orchestra. Piano solo—"Valse Caprice"—land—Harold Rymer. Address—The Rev. P. M. Baber. Quartet (selected)—Mrs. John Craig, Mrs. Katie Martin, Messrs. Shanabarger, Bradford.

"Preparedness"—C. B. Arnspar-

### FANCY TEAS

IN BULK

Orange Pekoe  
English Breakfast  
Natural Leaf Japan  
Gunpowder  
Ceylons  
Assam  
Imperial

These Teas represent the finest Teas sold in Clarksburg, and the prices are only

40c and 60c Lb.

**Chicago Dairy**  
(INCORPORATED)

ger. March—Moller Orchestra.

"How Can We Increase Our Membership?"—G. N. Kollman.

Vocal solo (selected)—Miss Laura Thompson.

"Will Sociability Make Our Class a Spiritual Success?"—John D. McReynolds.

Recitation—"Humorous"—Mrs. Kate Martin.

"Woman Suffrage"—Dr. C. J. Rul-

ey. Piano Solo—"Sweet Bye and Bye, with Variations"—Harold Rymer.

"The Way Can Best Assist in the Coming Evangelistic Meeting"—G. R. Shanabarger.

Piano solo (selected)—Mrs. O. L. Haught.

"Present and Future Moral Status of Our City"—Chief H. L. Brooks.

Hymn—31a—G. R. Shanabarger, leader.

Entertains Friends.

Miss Callie Free at her home at 746 Mulberry street entertained recently

a number of friends in honor of Mr. and Mrs. John Free. A most pleasant

and enjoyable evening was spent and at a reasonable hour dainty refresh-

ments were served.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. John Pitts,

Mr. and Mrs. Eneval Nay, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bartlett, Mr. and Mrs. John

Free, Snodden Free, James Reed, Delbert Reed, Mrs. William Carder,

Mrs. John McDonough, Mrs. James

Whoolery, Miss Anzelsa Reed, Miss

Ina Hall, Miss Ida Rightmire, Miss

Margaret McDonough and Miss Callie

Free.

Attend Rehearsal.

Eighty-five members have attended

rehearsal of "The Odysseus" and

"The Song of the Vikings," which will

be rendered by the Marcato Choral

Club early in May in the auditorium

of the Masonic temple, accompanied

by the Cadenza orchestra. The musical

people are looking forward with

great pleasure to his May festival, as

it is the first May musical feast the

Marcato Choral Club has rendered

since its organization.

Apron Sale.

Plans were completed for an apron

sale at a special called meeting Wed-

nesday afternoon in the parish house

of the Parish Aid Society of Christ

Episcopal church which the members

will give on Thursday afternoon April 13 in the parish house. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

#### April Meeting.

A special feature of the April meeting of the Katherine Dean Club which

was held Tuesday evening in the

First Presbyterian church was the

serving of chicken supper by the

members in the parlors of the church,

with Mrs. Fred B. Wood, Mrs. Clyde

Hamilton and Mrs. Racy Lynch host-

esses. Covers were laid for Mrs.

John W. Stuart, Mrs. F. S. Linger,

Mrs. W. M. B. Sine, Mrs. W. E.

Pearce, Mrs. J. V. Lepley, Mrs. P. J.

J. James, Mrs. J. James, Mrs. J.

Virgil Swearingen, Mrs. W. R. Tal-

bott, Miss Blanche E. Price, Miss

Lillian Lepley, Miss Lena Rutten-

cuter, Miss Anna Williams and Miss

Hettie Young.

#### Club Meets.

A very interesting meeting of the

Narcissus Club was held in the home

of Mrs. A. W. Eschenfelder at North

View, Wednesday afternoon.

#### Ladies Aid to Meet.

All members of the Ladies Aid So-

ciety of the First Methodist Episco-

pal church are asked to be present

at a meeting to be held at 3 o'clock

Thursday afternoon. An interesting

program has been prepared.

#### Class to Meet.

A regular social meeting of the

Omega Sunday school class of the

First Baptist church will be held in

the church parlors at 7:30 o'clock

Thursday evening. It is especially

desired that all the new members of

the class be present.

#### Chapter to Meet.

Miriam chapter of the Central Pres-

byterian church will meet at 7:30

o'clock Thursday evening with Mrs.

Mortimer W. Smith on West Main

street. Mexico will be discussed and

all members are asked to take items

of interest concerning that country.

With Mrs. Engle.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the

Lutheran church will meet at 2:30

o'clock Thursday afternoon with

Mrs. R. V. Engle at 33 Oak Hall

building. All members are expected

to attend.

Miss Beall Entertains.

A very beautiful 6 o'clock dinner

was given Tuesday evening when Miss Hazel Hall Beall entertained her fellow teachers at Grasselli, and others, in a very pleasing manner at her home in Point Comfort.

The table was most beautiful in its floral decorations and palatable good things, having for its center piece a cut glass basket of spring blossoms enhanced by a bow of maline to match.

Miss Beall was assisted in serving by her sister, Mrs. C. H. Coalgate. Those enjoying her hospitality were Mrs. Saurborne, Mrs. Corder, Miss Barnes, Miss Post, Miss Anna Dunn and Miss Shady Huff.

### PERSONAL

Harry Wilson, of Philippi, was a business visitor in the city Wednesday.

Mrs. Clark White, of Weston, was a visitor here Wednesday.

E. T. Brown, of Grafton, is a city visitor.

E. F. Phares, of Valley Bend, is a business visitor here.

W. B. McGregor, of Parkersburg, is a business visitor in the city.

C. W. Law was here Wednesday from Salem.

G. W. Broyles, of Buckhannon, is transacting business here.

C. N. Jones was here from Salem Wednesday on a business visit.

E. S. Stone, of Parkersburg, is a visitor here.

C. B. Ebert, of Parkersburg, inspector of the state public service commission, is in the city on official business.

W. B. Roche, of Charleston, is transacting business here.

J. W. Pickett, of Wheeling, is a city business visitor.

S. C. Cortelyou, of Huntington, is here on a business mission.

Mrs. W. Percy Goff returned from New York Tuesday.

Mrs. H. H. Moss, of Parkersburg, who had been a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Charles B. Alexander, went to Washington Tuesday night.

Miss Antoinette Ernst went Tuesday evening to Frederick, Md. where she is attending school.

### OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

Chocolate Blanc Manger.

One pint milk, one egg, one-half cup sugar, two dessertspoonfuls co-

coa, two tablespoonfuls cornstarch, little salt, vanilla.

Stir egg, sugar and cocoa together, dissolve cornstarch in little cold wa-

ter and add to above. Have milk hot in double boiler and add above in-

gredients, stirring constantly. Flavor with vanilla.

Fruit Gems.

Cream one-half cupful of butter

with one cupful of brown sugar, add

one egg well beaten, one cupful of

sour milk in which one teaspoonful

of soda has been dissolved, two tea-

spoonfuls of cocoa, one teaspoonful of

cinnamon, one-half teaspoon of all-

spice, two cups of sifted flour, one

cupful of chopped seeded raisins, one-

half cup currants; bake in gem pans;

ice with maple or chocolate frosting.

Fresno county, Calif., produces 94-

000,000 pounds, or about 60 per cent

of the California raisin crop and near-

ly twice the quantity produced by

Spain.

### BAZAAR AND SUPPER.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the

Methodist Episcopal church at Stea-

ley Heights will, on Thursday, April

20th, at the First Methodist Episco-

pal church, Clarksburg, sell vari-

ous kind of needle work, and begin-

ning at 5:30 o'clock will serve a hot

supper to the public. At the supper

hour a musical program will be ren-

dered. Ice cream and cake during

afternoon and evening. Proceeds for

new church on Millford road.—Ad-

vertisement.

They are agitating the question of digging a canal along the south shore of Long Island. Evidently there isn't enough water around Long Island to satisfy them.

Belgium has the deepest coal mine in the world.